

STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES
Curriculum Program Terminations
As Approved by the System President

Information: The System President has approved the terminations as listed below:

Background: 1D SBCCC 400.95(b) states the following: *The college shall terminate a curriculum program when there has been no enrollment for two years; a college may request an one-year extension of a curriculum program upon justification of the potential for employment opportunities and student enrollment.*

On April 17, 2015, the System Office sent a letter to fifty-five colleges to notify them of programs that had not demonstrated enrollment in over two years. The letter requested that they either send in a program termination request or provide justification and a request for an extension. The majority of the terminations below resulted from this request.

Catawba Valley Community College

Esthetics Technology (Certificate) (C55230)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. Students have been enrolling in other related programs at the college.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Furniture Production Technology (A50180)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. The program was no longer sustainable due to a severe downturn in the furniture industry. The college is able to provide the instruction through continuing education.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Furniture Production Technology/Design and Product Development (A5018A)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. The program was no longer sustainable due to a severe downturn in the furniture industry.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Industrial Engineering Technology (A40240)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. There was limited student interest due to insufficient employment opportunities for graduates of the program within the college's service area. The Mechatronics Engineering Technology program was added in 2015 because is better suited for local industry needs and has better prospects for employment.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Catawba Valley Community College (continued)

Real Estate (A25420)

Rationale: No Enrollment for two or more years: There were insufficient employment opportunities for graduates in the service area. The college will offer real estate instruction through continuing education if there is a need for it in the future.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Real Estate Appraisal (A25420)

Rationale: No Enrollment for two or more years: There were insufficient employment opportunities for graduates in the service area. The college will offer real estate instruction through continuing education if there is a need for it in the future.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Real Estate Licensing (Certificate) (C25480)

Rationale: No Enrollment for two or more years: There were insufficient employment opportunities for graduates in the service area. The college will offer real estate instruction through continuing education if there is a need for it in the future.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

School-Age Education (A55440)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. Other education courses offered in other programs of study at the college meet the needs of students.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Truck Driver Training (Certificate) (C60300)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. The College signed a continuing education service area agreement with Caldwell Community College and Technical Institute (CCC & TI) to offer non-credit truck driver training. Catawba Valley CC provides the facility and CCC & TI provides instruction and equipment.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Robeson Community College

Carpentry (Diploma) (D35180)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. The college discontinued the campus program several years ago, offering it only at the Lumberton Correctional Institution. When captive program funding changes occurred in 2011, the college determined it could no longer support the program. There is no available space on campus to support the program.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Robeson Community College (continued)

Esthetics Technology (Certificate) (C55230)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. The program was never implemented due to space limitations.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Manicuring/Nail Technology (Certificate) (C55400)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. The program was never implemented due to space limitations.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Stanly Community College

Cardiovascular/Vascular Interventional Technology (Diploma) (D45140)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. There are insufficient employment opportunities for graduates in the service area. The college may offer instruction through continuing education if there is a need for it in the future.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Esthetics Instructor (Certificate) (C55270)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. This program provided for the need in the community at the time of its inception, but enrollment declined due to a change in the local job market and market saturation.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

General Occupational Technology (A55280)

Rationale: No enrollment for two or more years. Students are choosing to enroll in the Associate in General Education (AGE) (A10300) program.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

Wayne Community College

School-Age Education (A55440)

Rationale: Low enrollment. The current labor market in North Carolina has been eliminating teacher assistants over the past few years.

Termination Semester: **Spring 2016**

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